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| Attorney Docket No.: | 60021010-0034 |
| First Named Inventor: | Nancy Allbritton, et al. |
| Title: | METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR DETECTING CANCEROUS CELLS USING MOLECULES THAT CHANGE ELECTROPHORETIC MOBILITY |
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Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s)
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ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement
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Prior application information: Examiner Name: Jon P. Weber Group Art Unit: 1651

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